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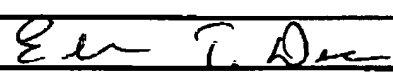
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In re application of MUKHERJEE et al.      Group Art Unit: 1746  
Serial number: 10/690,364      Examiner: CHAUDHRY, Saeed T.  
Filing date: 21 October 2003      Response date: 22 November 2005

Title: Cleaning Compositions Containing EDTA for Cleaning Formers

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RESPONSE and AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed 23 August 2005.

Claims 1-14 are pending in the application.

Claims 1-10 stand rejected.

Claims 1-14 are subject to restriction and/or election requirements.

Enclosed with this Response on separate pages are a TEXT OF CLAIMS CURRENTLY UNDER EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT, and REMARKS.

Applicants request reconsideration in light of the amendment and response.

Respectfully submitted,



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